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## BEHIND THE WICKET

### Doings of Secret Societies Over the Country.

#### IMPROVEMENTS BEING MADE

**Interesting Notes Regarding the Various Secret Orders and Means they Use to Improve Fellowship—A General Digest of Their Doings.**

**Excelsior council of Massachusetts** has prepared a handsome silver and mahogany traveling emblem. All Massachusetts councils are invited to apply for it. A small plate is assigned for the card of each council receiving it, which will pass it to the next entitled to it in order of application. It is inclosed in a velvet lined mahogany case. It is hoped that it may induce visitations between sister councils, bring the members closer together and in some measure promote the welfare of the order. It is thought that it will be at least two years "on the road," at the expiration of which time it will be returned to Excelsior.

Canadago council of Richfield Springs, N. Y., instituted June 2, 1890, has only lost one member by death.

George Heidenreich has served sixteen years continuously as secretary of Luzerne council of Pennsylvania, missing only two meetings in this time.

The Royal Arcanum now has over 311,000 members in good standing and 2,137 councils.

Membership in the Royal Arcanum is a privilege; attendance at the meetings of your council and faithful service to it are duties; the holding of office is an honor.

#### MASONIC.

**New Jersey's New Grand Master, Treatiseboard Designs.**

New Jersey's new grand master, Benjamin F. Wakefield, has been an active member of the craft for a number of years and held many important Masonic offices. He began his service in the grand lodge in 1893 as district deputy grand master of the Seventh district and after serving four years was elected grand marshal. In 1900 he was the choice for grand junior warden and has been advanced each year, serving last year as deputy grand master. Mr. Wakefield was raised in Enterprise lodge of Jersey City, of which



BENJAMIN F. WAKEFIELD.  
He was master in 1890. He was born in Jersey City and is a resident of Passaic.

At the Scottish Rite reunion in Indianapolis a class of eighty-four received the degrees. This is said to be the largest class ever initiated in Indiana.

The officers of San Francisco Lodge of Perfection were recently installed for the eighteenth consecutive year.

Courtesy to strangers and to all visiting brethren is a virtue that no true Mason will forget.

A father and son were raised together in Bryan lodge of Bryan, O., recently, the only incident of its kind ever occurring in the lodge.

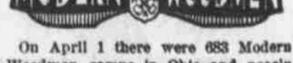
Oriental consistory of Chicago recently dedicated its new temple. The building cost \$300,000 and is said to be the finest in this country.

During the past year the Hamilton county Masonic employment bureau of Cincinnati received 1,153 applications, and 1,151 positions were secured.

Washington lodge of Boston recently celebrated its one hundred and ninth anniversary.

At the recent session of the grand council, R. A. M., of California the reports showed a net gain in membership during the past year of over 900.

Each degree in Masonry should add another excellent degree to the candidate's character.



On April 1 there were 683 Modern Woodmen camps in Ohio and nearly 23,000 benefit members in good standing.

Pennsylvania now has 413 Modern Woodmen camps, with a membership of 15,000.

Kansas is the fourth largest jurisdiction in the order. On April 1 there were over 57,000 benefit members in the Sunflower State.

The Modern Woodmen of Kansas City, Mo., recently initiated a class of candidates numbering 257.

South Dakota now has 12,500 members in good standing. There are close to 11,000 Modern Woodmen in North Dakota.

**Foresters of America.**  
Many of the jurisdictions report large gains in membership since the first of the year.

There is talk of erecting a Forester home in Pennsylvania for aged and indigent members.

The order in Pennsylvania now has a membership of 47,000.

#### ODD FELLOWS.

**Six Brothers in One Lodge—From Various Jurisdictions.**

Six brothers, members of one lodge, is probably unique in the history of Odd Fellowship. To have a suitable memorial thereof Dolman lodge, No. 174, persuaded Brothers James, John, George, Robert, Lewis and Alexander Gourlay to have a group picture taken with the lodge collars on. One copy will be fittingly framed and hung in the lodge room.

The Oregon Odd Fellows' home has nineteen residents—eight children, nine brothers and two sisters.

Members of the order in the District of Columbia are planning to build an Odd Fellows' home.

It is better to be wrong sometimes than never to have an opinion on any subject before the lodge.

Recent reports show the Quebec jurisdiction has a present membership of 3,394.

Recently Liberty lodge, No. 10, was instituted in Baltimore under favorable auspices with a start of 100 members.

The grand lodge of Manitoba is raising a home fund and has collected so far for this purpose about \$7,000.

The order in Maine continues to show substantial gains. The jurisdiction now has a membership of 22,680, a net gain of 474 for the past year.

International encampment of New York recently initiated a class of sixty candidates.

#### KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

**Many Grand Domains Growing Rapidly—Pythian Notes.**

Many of the grand domains show a large net gain in membership, notably Indiana, Ohio, Illinois, Kentucky, Missouri, South Carolina, Georgia and Texas. The order is growing very rapidly, and if the same ratio is maintained during the current year the total membership at the close of the year will be at least 650,000.

In the endowment rank there has been a net gain in membership during the past fiscal year of 4,910.

The uniform rank in Massachusetts has twenty-three companies and 754 members, a gain of forty-one members for the year.

There are now about 7,000 Knights of Pythias in good standing in the grand domain of Connecticut.

In New Mexico the order has a membership at present of about 1,200 and is in a fairly flourishing condition.

#### RED MEN.

**Notes and Gossip From Various Reservations.**

Cherokee tribe of Louisville is the largest in Kentucky. The reservation now has over 6,000 members and is making good progress.

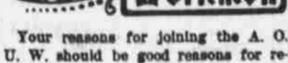
Several new tribes have been instituted in Alabama recently, and the reservation is making good progress.

At a great exemplification of the degrees in Lynn, Mass., recently, seventy-five palefaces were admitted to the order.

Montgomery (Ala.) tribes are uniting for the purpose of purchasing a union wigwam.

Winnebago tribe of Oak Park, Cal., has a new wigwam which cost 6,000 fathoms.

Conomo tribe of Manchester, Mass., will have a trading post this summer.



Your reasons for joining the A. O. U. W. should be good reasons for remaining in it. You thought it was good at that time. It is stronger today than it was then. Why not take an interest in its future and help to increase its strength?—A. O. U. W. Guide.

A number of Minnesota lodges have initiated large classes of candidates recently, and the jurisdiction is making good gains in membership.

The grand lodge of Illinois recently elected C. L. Hendricks of Sterling grand master workman.

The Oregon jurisdiction has a cash balance in its beneficiary fund of \$9,478.49, the grand lodge having accumulated this amount in excess of paying the indebtedness of \$20,000 hanging over it the first of the year.

A certificate in the A. O. U. W. is one of the greatest monuments a prudent man can leave to perpetuate his memory.

**Eastern Star.**  
President Roosevelt and Vice President Fairbanks evinced their interest

in the Eastern Star fair held in New York city for the benefit of an Eastern Star home by sending handsome autograph photographs, which were sold for the benefit of the fund.

New chapters of the Eastern Star have been instituted at Cambridge and Roseville, O.; at Stromberg and Shelby, Neb.; at Carlisle and Walkerton, Ind.; Harristown, Ill., and Sacketts Harbor, N. Y.

**Knights of Columbus.**  
During the past year in Massachusetts 1,621 new members were secured, and the jurisdiction now has a membership of 15,300.

A class of 550 candidates received the highest degree of the order in Chicago recently.

**Royal Neighbors of America.**  
Recently a class of eighty candidates was initiated in St. Paul and a class of sixty-four adopted in Kansas City.

Illinois' largest camp of Royal Neighbors is in Springfield. It has over 300 members.

**Crop Bound Fowls.**  
I have tried the following treatment for crop bound fowls with great success, writes a Virginia farmer in Commercial Poultry: Make an incision in the outer skin about half or three-quarters of an inch long. Pull the outer skin a little to one side and make a like incision in the skin of the crop. Work out all the contents of the crop which obstruct the passage of the gizzard, then sew up neatly with silk thread, sewing each skin separately. Keep the bird penned separately and feed lightly for a week. I have saved a number of valuable fowls in this way and can recommend it as a sure remedy if done carefully and in time.

**Worms For Chickens.**  
There is more profit in spending a little time in loosening the earth for the chickens to pick up the worms than there is in earning money to buy scraps. The worms they get do the chicks more good than twice that amount of scraps.—Cor. American Agriculturist.

**Feeding Brevities.**  
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A feast today and a famine tomorrow will upset the best run of livers.

**The Audience Flew Instead.**  
They said he was an orator.  
And this they'd swear.  
He was a man remarkable,  
Of brilliance rare.  
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The audience flew.  
—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

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